

## Message Text

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ACTION SCS-06

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R 281440Z APR 78  
FM USMISSION USBERLIN  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6749

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E O 11652: NA  
TAGS: TAGS: CDES GW  
SUBJ: DEATH OF UNIDENTIFIED MALE, POSSIBLY US CITIZEN, IN BERLIN

REF: STATE 96502

1. BERLIN CRIMINAL POLICE HAVE CONFIRMED THAT MALE KILLED AS RESULT OF HIT-AND-RUN ACCIDENT ON PERLEBERGERSTRASSE ON OCTOBER 27, 1977 HAS NOT YET BEEN IDENTIFIED. A FEW ITEMS FOUND ON THE BODY WERE US MADE AND INDICATE A POSSIBILITY THAT THE DECEASED MAY HAVE SPENT SOME TIME IN THE UNITED STATES. BEYOND THAT, HOWEVER, THERE IS NO REAL EVIDENCE SUGGESTING THAT HE WAS A US CITIZEN.

2. SUBJECT HAS BEEN BURIED HERE; HIS FINGERPRINTS ARE ON FILE WITH THE BERLIN CRIMINAL POLICE. SUBJECT WAS CAUCASIAN, ABOUT 25 YEARS OLD, 5 FEET 8 INCHES TALL, HAD GREY-BLUE EYES AND BROWN HAIR.  
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